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CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

In 1984, much information was collected by the MSO for Post-DSCS, UHF, and Milstar studies. As a result of these collections, two items were identified by the MSO to be added to the User Requirements Data Base (URDB) files that would be helpful in building future architectures. Femme Comp, Inc., subcontracting to M/A-COM LINKABIT, was tasked with this effort.

CHAPTER 2 URDB CHANGES

The first step in adding data elements to a data base at DCA is to request a DBGEN change through Code N331. A copy of DCA form 319, which was sent requesting this action, is shown in Figure 2-1. Work has been completed on this modification.

The new data elements being added to the URDB are "Service Outages Tolerable" and "Duration of Survivability of Supported Mission." These two single-character elements are identified in the "TOTAL" data base NVUQ Al record as "NVUQSOTO" and "NVUQDSSV," respectively. The filler data element "NVUQFAIR" was reduced to 8 characters to make room for these new elements.

Concurrent with Code N331's modifications to the DBGEN, Femme Comp, Inc., programmers completed changes to the URDB software. The following URDB programs have been modified to accept new data elements in the system:

- o ZRDBUPDT (URDB update program)
- o ZRDBTRAN (URDB transaction report generation program)
- o ZRDBINPT (URDB data input program).

Simple modifications to identify the new data elements were made to the ZRDBUPDT and ZRDBTRAN programs. Extensive coding was added to the URDB data input program ZRDBINPT to add two new display screens. These two new screens can be used for both the entry of new requirements and for the editing of requirements already in the data base.

The screen for the "Service Outages Tolerable" data element will carry number 7A and will follow screen 7 in the display series. The "Duration of Survivability of Supported

AD-A165 451 CONTRACT N. MHER REQUEST F. A ADF SERVICES IREF DCA1 630 230 151 4 1 HOM Iname, office code, telephone no) 3 TO (see eparacriete Enciosure of ref.) Code 4300 Lode N331 Tel: 20280 T-P11: Code 632 4 PRODUCT TITLE Addition of two data elements to the MSO User Requirements Data Base (URDB) & SECURITY CLASSIFICATION TYPE OF SERVICE REQUIRED (check sporopriess block) ... UNCLASSIFIED B. PERIOD COVERED 7. AS OF DATE . ONE TIME RETRIEVAL/EXTRACT (see Enclosure 2) 26 July 1985 **■** ■ KEY PUNCH/COMPUTER TIME (see Enclosure 3) 9 DATE REQUIRED 10 FREQUENCY c PROGRAM MODIFICATION (see Enclosure 4) 9 Sept 85 d - FILE DEVELOPMENT/MODIFICATION (see Enclosure 5) 11 EXPIRATION DATE 12 NO OF COPIES . IC NEW, RECURRING OR AS REQUIRED REPORT (see Enclosure 6) 13 DISTRIBUTION 14 STATEMENT OF REQUIREMENT 1. Request the necessary action be taken to incorporate the following two fields into the MSO portion of the NGMRCL DBGEN on all systems (X1 through X4, Headquarters and equivalant systems in field offices): FIELD NAME LABLE LENGTH Service Outages Tolerable NVUQSOTO One character code Duration of Survivability NVUQDSSM One character code These items are to be located in the NVUQ variable file, Al record. There is presently a filler element of 10 characters, NVUQFA1R, which is to be used as room for expansion. The two additional elements should utilize the first two characters of this filler field, and NVUQFAIR should be changed to 8 characters, to eliminate the need for any unloading/ reloading of TOTAL files. The data will be loaded with the MSO's update software by 4800 personnel or contractors. (continue on next page) 15 JUSTIFICATION PURPOSE The MSO URDB was established and is being maintained in accordance with DoD Directive 5105.44, dated 9 October 1973. Upgrade of the URDB from a flat file to TOTAL Data Set in the WWOLS was accomplished in June 1984. In addition to enhancing the automation capabilities and amount of information, this new format was designed to provide the flexibility IUTAL affords for change and growth. Subsequent to the implementation of the new URDB, the MSO initiated two major architectural efforts to define Post FLTSAT/LEASAT and Post DSCS III system concepts. These efforts have identified two additional elements needed in the data base.

Figure 2-1. Sample DBGEN Change Report (1 of 2)

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(cont: Statement of Requirement)

Since this change affects all DBGENS both here and at the area centers as well as the software scheduled for dissemination, request you postpone the following 319's to coincide with the completion of this task:

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330-4231 330-5059	Size of files - expansion dissemination of software to area centers.		

Figure 2-1. Sample DBGEN Change Report (2 of 2)

Mission" screen will carry number 9A and will follow screen 9. After the user enters data, the data will be validated against appropriate tables.

These new screens--7A and 9A--will use the same format as the other 12 screens in helping the user enter the data as well as doing the same type of error checking shown in Figures 2-2 and 2-3.

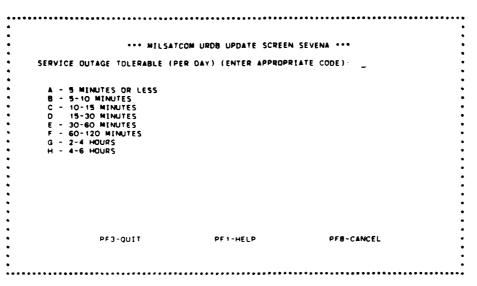


Figure 2-2. Screen 7A Format

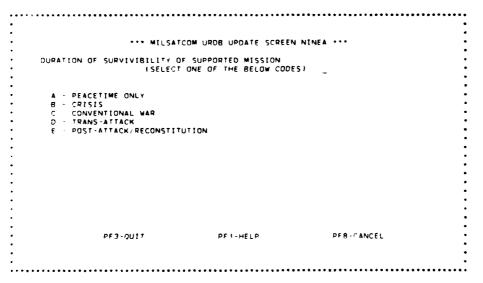


Figure 2-3. Screen 9A Format

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